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BOT THE CIRCULATION OF THE DIS-PATCH IS LARGER THAN THE COMBINED CIRCULATION OF ALL THE OTHER DAILY NEWSPAPERS OF THE CITY.

THE WEATHER To-DAY .- From our reports this morning the probabilities are that the weather to-day will be clear or clearing.

THE WEATHER yesterday was rainy and isagreeable, with moderate temperature. Range of Thermometer at the Dispatch office January 29, 1875.

6 A. M. 43 | 3 P. M. 9 A. M. 43 | 6 P. M. Noon. 43 | Midnight.

#### LOCAL MATTERS.

RELIGIOUS SERVICES To-MORROW .- The usual religious services will be held in all the city churches to-morrow except the folowing special appointments: Broad Street Methodist .- Rev. John E

Edwards, D. D., at 11 A. M. and 7 P. M. Nicholson-Street Methodist .- Rev. W. W. Bennett, D. D., at 11 A. M. The pastor at Etha Park Methodist Episcopal.—Rev. George C. Vanderslice at 4 P. M.

First Baptist .- Rev. H. A. Tupper, D. D.

at 11 A. M.; Rev. J. L. M. Curry at 72 P.

Grace Street Baptist .- Rev. N. W. Wil son, D. D., at 11 A. M.; Rev. J. B. Jeter, D. Seventh-Street Christian church .- Rev. W. A. Belding, of New York, at 11 A. M.

and 73 P.M.

MURDER TRIAL POSTFONED-MYSTERIOUS DISAPPEARANCE,-The case of Lunsford Brown, indicted for the murder of Tilman Lee, was to have been tried by the Circuit Court of Heurico yesterday, but was postponed on account of the absence of Dr. gaged in searching for his brother, Mr. W. two miles of Mannikin, and is a merchant of hereby repealed." that town. On Wednesday last he left his home to visit his brother, Mr. J. L. Deit- parties left the Commissioner's office. rick, who resides near Rocky Mills, in Hanover county. He left his brother's on his return about 3 o'clock in the afternoon, and was seen to pass by Peer's before night, but nothing has since been heard of him. The country in that neighborhood is cut up by pit-holes, dug for the purpose of getting coal from the surface, and many of them are full of water. It is feared he may have tallen into one of these, or been foully dealt with and thrown in to conceal the crime.

A PERILOUS RIDE AND ITS CONSEQUENCES .-A colored boy named Jeff. Page was hauled "The Home for Destitute Children"-a out of James river under the Danville Railroad bridge Thursday night by parties who They inquired about her antecedents, and were attracted thither by his screams. In were told that her parents, who were reresponse to inquiries be stated that he got spectable people, were dead; that she had under a car at Jetersville and seated himself brothers and sisters and other relatives upon the truck for the purpose of obtaining living, but that they took no care of her, and a free ride to his home, in this city, and had that at five years of age Mary was brought gotten along quite well until he reached to the Home; that she was, soon afterwards Manchester. As the train started over the adopted by a gentleman, and in his family bridge at Richmond he lost his balance and fived four years, when he failed in business, fell into the river. The most remarkable and Mary was returned to the Home. Mary fact connected with this piece of foolbardi- was willing to go with Demmer and his wife, ness is that although he must have fallen a and they liked her, and it was agreed that distance of more than twenty feet, with the they would receive, raise, and educate her as chances of being dashed to pieces against the their child. She was at once taken to Trenton, rocks, yet, in the opinion of those who saw N. J., and nine months after arriving therehim, none of the important bones of his body were broken, but he was considerably age-was regularly indentured to Demmer, bruised. He was conveyed to his home in as he says, to prevent her from being inter-

Thursday night, or very early yesterday music, and his wife gave her instructions in Kennedy, widow of the late Captain Kennedy, situated on the old Osborne turnpike bout a mile and a half east of the city, were broken open and robbed of nearly all their contents. The thieves forced open the stable, and deliberately hitched the horses to Mrs. Kennedy's carriage. They then went into the meat-house, and, after loading the carriage with all the bacon and other provisions they could conveniently dispose of, drove off. The carriage and horses were found some dist ince from the place yesterday morning. At last accounts the thieves had not been apprehended, nor had any of the meat been

CAUGHT IN THE ACT .-- Yesterday the manager of Mr. Sim. Sutherland's farm, on the suburbs of the city, left some of his clothes in the yard of the house, and returning after a brief absence found a man who had just donned his best shirt. He made the felonious depredator divest himself instanter, chose Mr. Jesse S. Wilson, of Bucks county, meanwhile administering sundry kicks to hasten the operation. .

ight while Policeman Maurice Griffin was residence, corner of Tenth and Clay streets, he discovered three negro women taking coal from Mr. Purcell's coal-house. He for hwith arrested and carried them to the Second Police station, where they gave their names as Lucinds, Sarah, and Martha Coles. They were bailed to appear before the Police Court to-day.

THE LATE POLICEMAN O'I) WYER .- The funeral of Mr. Kendall O'Dwyer, which took place yesterday afternoon from St. Peter's cathedral, was attended by a large concourse of people, including his relatives, personal friends, acquaintances, and a number of city officials, besides a full detachment of the city police, who acted as an escort to the funeral cortege. Rev. Father Hanley read the solemn services of the Catholic Church, and delivered an impressive discourse; after which the remains were taken to Shockoe Hill Cemetery for interment. The procession was an unusually

In the death of Mr. O'Dwyer the city has lost an indetatigable and zealous officer-one who was ever at his post, and whose place it will be found difficult to fill.

DEATH OF JOHN CAMM WYNNE, OF NEW KENT COUNTY. - John Camm Wynne, a well known citizen of New Kent county, died suddenly on Wednesday last of congestion of the lungs. He was of Indian descent, and to their exemplary standing as citizens; was very highly esteemed. A handsome monument is to be made at Colonel Ordway's Granite Works and put over the grave of the deceased (at Indiantown, where he was interred,) by a number of his friends.

INJURED BY A FALL .- Mrs. Mary Hill, who lives on Oregon Hill, fell down a flight of Mary and her interests would be safer in the steps day before yesterday while visiting a friend and broke one of her arms, besides injuring herself severely about the head.

THE CAUCUS. - The conference of the Conservative members of the General Assembly has been postponed until Monday night at

RICHMOND AND CINCINNATI LINE OPEN. -The ice has broken up in the Ohio river, and Esq., for the last four years organist of St. navigation between Huntington and Cincin- Mary's church, Trenton, N. J., and an old at Rocketts on Tuesday night by R. S. Valnati has been resumed by the Packet Com- resident of this city, is one of our most repany's steamers Fleetwood and Bostona. spected citizens, a gentleman of unblemished The Chesapeake and Ohio Railroad line via moral character and integrity, and a good Huntington is reopened for freights and pas- and practical Catholic. He is in every way

WHITE SULPHUR SPRINGS COMPANY .- The stockholders of the White Sulphur Springs Company resumed their session last evening, and after the transaction of some business for the ensuing year and adjourned sine die, weeks ago. He made application at the land, a notary public. of a private nature reflected the old officers

"THE WANDERING HEIRESS."

HER CASE BEFORE THE COMMIS-SIONER QUICKLY ENDED.

The Young Lady Triumphant-Both Sides of the Story Given.

The Adopted Father vs. The Adopted Daughter.

A MATTER-OF-FACT RUMANCE.

The case of Mary Henbest, charged with absconding from her master or adopted father, Mr. John Demmer, of Trenton, New Jersey, was brought before Commissioner Pleasants yesterday by the officers of Spring-Street Home responding to the warrant is sued. The girl was not brought before the Commissioner, though she was near at hand and could have been produced in five minutes, the understanding being that the law-points involved should be first settled.

Mr. William Green appeared as counse for Mr. Demmer, and Judge Ould for the officers of the Home and the girl. The Commissioner asked under what law he was expected to act, and was referred to an act of Congress of 1798 "in relation to persons escaping from the service of their musters,' and an act amendatory and supplementary thereof passed in 1850, popularly known as the fugitive-slave law.

THE FUGITIVE-SLAVE LAW REPEALED. thority under which it was proposed the Commissioner should move, he would show that both acts had been repealed. He referred to an act of Congress, in the Statutes exactly a servant, was treated very cruelly, at Large, approved January 28, 1864, as fol-

.. Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress Assembled, That sections 3 and 4 of an act entitled ' An act respecting fugitives from justice and persons escaping from the service of their masters,' passed February 12, 1793, and an act entitled 'an Deitrick, an important witness. Dr. Deit- act to amend and supplementary to the act she would let her people know where she rick was unable to be present, as he is en- entitled an act respecting fugitives from justice and persons escaping from the service of A. Deitrick, who has mysteriously disaptheir masters,' passed February 12, 1793, peared. Mr. Deitrick lives within one or passed September, 1850, be and the same are Thereupon the case was dismissed, and the

THE ADOPTED FATHER OF THE HEIRESS: Mr. John Demmer, the master, or, as he calls himself, the adopted father of the girl, is a respectable-looking man, and is about thirty-five years of age. He says he is a native of Prussia, and his wife of Louisiana. They have been married many years, and have no children. He is a music teacher by profession, and is regularly employed as organist of St. Mary's Catholic church of Trenton, N. J. From his account it appears that, wishing to adopt a child, he and his wife went to Philadelphia in November, 1870, and at Catholic institution-were offered Mary this city, on Broad between Jefferson and fered with by outsiders, but he never in-Monroe streets. always meant to treat her, and always did treat her, as his daughter. He taught her the elementary branches of learning. Demmer represents that Mary was generally a

well-behaved girl, and that she lived in his family contentedly until about a year ago. MUCH TROUBLE ABOUT A SMALL FORTUNE. About a year ago a rich uncle of Mary's named Henbest, died in Philadelphia. In his life-time he had never contributed the smallest amount to the maintenance of Mary or her sister and four brothers. By his will, after making a few small bequests, he left his whole fortune for the establishment of an asylum for infirm people; but the will having been made within thirty days of his death, by the law of Pennsylvania in relation to bequests was declared void, and the entire fortune reverted to his heirs. Mary's portion was about onethirtleth of the whole estate, say between \$8,000 and \$10,000 net. Demmer declares that he positively refused to qualify as her guardian, but that she voluntarily his surety, is an officer in the army and is stationed at or near Boston. Two of Mary's tors. They never visited Mary until to see her, and one of them desired to have himself installed as guardian in place of Wilson, as Wilson had not qualified. The visits of Mary's brothers produced in her mind discontent. On the 5th of December, when Demmer and wife were absent from home, she absconded. Demmer-asserts that upon bis first visit to her here, about two weeks ago, Mary told him that a gentleman named Myers (she believed) had bought her ticket for her. He learned of her whereabouts through a Philadelphia drummer named Stubbs, and this was his second visit here to get possession of her-his daughter he calls LETTER PROM THE MAYOR OF TRENTON.

Mr. Demmer has the following credential from the Mayor of his city: "MAYOR'S OFFICE, CITY HALL, ? "TRENTON, N. J., January 23, 1875. " Mr. John Demmer, who is about going to Richmond, Va., to endeavor to obtain possession of his adopted daughter, is a gentleman of character and standing in this community, where he has long resided. Having resided opposite to them (on the same street) for some time, and having been personally acquainted with both him and his wife for years, I take pleasure in bearing testimony think that either of them are capable of in Justice will probably look into the matter and from my personal knowledge cannot any way maltreating a child, but are directly the opposite. Having some knowledge of the means and parties by which the girl was induced to leave her adopted parents and the reasons therefor, I am satisfied that both

hands of Mr. Demmer. Respectfully, "John Briest, Mayor." TESTIMONY OF MR. DEMMER'S PASTOR. Mr. Demmer has also the following from

his pastor: "ST, MARY'S CHURCH, TRENTON, N. J., ? "January 24, 1875. \$ " To Whom it May Concern:

"This is to certify that John Demmer, calculated and competent to raise and educate any obild he may think proper to take under his charge. ANTHONY SMITH. "Pastor of St. Mary's, Trenton, N. J."

duction from Hon. George W. Biddle, of county to serve for two years—viz., from De-Philadelphia, to Mr. William Green, whom cember '73, to December '75. At the session he employed as counsel. He says he and his of the General Assembly 1878-'74 there was wife love Mary, and that their affection for passed an act abolishing the office of Superher is the sole thing that has moved him to intendent of Public Buildings, and subseendeavor to secure her. He thinks that in- quently "an act to amend the 2d section of fluences are at work to prevent her from re- an act providing for the abolition of the turning, and that otherwise, and if left to office of Superintendent of Public Build-her own free will, she would gladly go back ings, approved February 28, 1874, and to to Trenton.

He describes her as a pure girl, though inis younger than she is, is bound out as servant to some one in Philadelphia. Demmer says Mary often begged-him to adopt her sister also, and that he consented to do so, but the Philadelphia party, whose servant she is,

MraDemmer left for Trenton last night, having been advised that he had no legal remedies; but he says he will never give her up, and hopes the future will solve all difficulties.

CONFLICTING STATEMENTS.

The statement of Mr. Demmer conflicts with Mary's story and with information from disinterested parties obtained by the officers of the Spring-Street Home. She was carried to the Spring-Street Home upon her arrival here as the best provision that could be made Judge Ould said that if that was the au- for her by the philanthropic gentlemen who had taken an interest in her welfare. She affirms that she led a miserable existence at Demmer's, and though not and that Demmer and wife constantly taunted ber with the habits of her brothers, and so she determined to run away. She wanted to travel, and said she had heard a "great Commonwealth which has been created or deal about Richmond, and if she could make the emoluments of which have been increased money here she would go Florida to live during such term, except offices filled by amid the orange-groves," &c., &c. From election by the people." Florida she "wanted to go to the island of Manilla, and when she became a rich woman was," &c. She has had from the beginning an aversion to returning to Demmer's, and, from all the information we can obtain, is not much more in love with her brothers. It was chiefly on her account that the officers of the Spring-Street Home resisted all the attempts to get possession of her. Personally, or as an association; they can have no other interest in her than the promotion of her welfare. She has not for several days been at the Home, but is in a private family,

where she is well taken care of. DESCRIPTIVE AND PROSPECTIVE. Mary is about fifteen years of age. She lars. It is her purpose to get an education vantage to the State, reserving for the use and fit herself for a respectable station in of the prison such labor as may be indis t will be just as impossible for Demmer to get possession of her in Philadelphia as in Richmond, now that it has been discovered The only way Demmer can possibly get conkidnapped into New Jersey, is to have her being the amount of his money she took from an open drawer to pay her way to Richmond. It is scarcely likely that that is such an offence as to be indictable in a way to authorize the Governor of New Jersey to make Virginia; and if it is, Demmer, with his professions of love, would scarcely pursue that

course. Commissioner Pleasants found out shortly after he had issued the warrant for the arrest of Mary Henbest that the fugitive-slave law had been repealed, but he thought proper to keep his own counsel.

POLICE COURT, YESTERDAY -- Justice J. J. White presiding.—The following cases were disposed of in this court: Primus Dodson, charged with breaking and entering in the night-time the shop of

boots and shoes, was sent on to the Hustings Bob Weeden and Henry Robbins, arrested on a search-warrant for having some of the the repair of the statue of Henry Clay in goods stolen from Barrett in their possession, were discharged.

Peter Robinson, guilty of stealing one load

of manure, was sent to jail for fifteen days. SAMPLE-MERCHANTS AND MEMBERS OF THE LEGISLATURE AT THE POLICE COURT .- A DUMber of members of the General Assembly, in Pa., who resides just across the line but two charge of Mr. T. W. Hoeninger, one of the or three miles from Trenton. He was re- members of the House from Henrico, were quired to qualify upon her estate, estimated at the Police Court yesterday morning to COAL THIEVES CAUGHT IN THE ACT .- Last to be worth not less than \$7,700, but has not witness some of the practical operations of yet done so, as his brother, who is to become the State revenue law in relation to sample merchants. The case of A. A. Shad, of Washington. D. C., was first called. Messre. brothers sold out their portions to specula- George D. Wise and George T. Turner appeared for the defendant, and Mr. E. Carshe became an heiress; then they came rington Cabell represented the Commonwealth. Nearly all of our leading bookmerchants were present as witnesses for the Commonwealth in this case, and upon being asked by the Commonwealth's attorney whether Mr. Shad within the last twelve months had offered to sell them goods either by sample-card or other representation, all

responded in the negative. Policeman Sweeney, who made the arrest testified that he swore out the warrant on suspicion, and in company with Sergeant Perrin went to the St. James Hotel, and upon entering the room of the accused saw in the window cards containing samples, but could not say that Shad had sold or had offered to sell any goods.

The Justice not baying any evidence to convict the accused dismissed the case, William H. Bradford, of Massachusetts. another sample-merchant, arrested by Deputy Constable James Gibbs, was sent to the

Hustings Court. CHARGED WITH ASSAULT .- Stephen Ratcliffe was arrested last night by Sergeant George W. Folkes, charged with assaulting Silvia Lucas with a loaded cane. The alleged difficulty took place in the neighborhood of Eighth and Main streets, and the cane, which is said to have been used, is a very formidable and dangerous weapon. The Police

this morning. Personal .- Colonel Wynne is improving rapidly. General G. W. Custis Lee and Miss Mary Lee were at the Exchange Hotel yesterday on their way to San Antonio, Texas. General Lee, who is president of Washington and Lee University, has a furlough for twelve months, and after spending the winter in the South will probably go to Europe in

the spring. Rev. Dr. Helmuth, Lord Bishep of Huron, Canada, was at the Exchange Hotel last evening.

THE TEMPERANCE CAUSE.-A new division of the Sons of Temperance was organized maker Penn; Ambler Mason. entine, Esq., acting deputy. It starts with twenty-three members, and is called Nicholson Division. Next Tuesday night a large number of additional members are to be in-Itiated.

Springfield Division is prospering finely, and is in good condition.

DEMMER'S VISITS TO RICHMOND.

NOTARY APPOINTED.—Governor Kemper
Mr. Demmer was in Richmond about two
yesterday appointed B. O. James, of Gooch-

Home for Mary, but Mary was not willing to | Is the Register of the Land Office a Lereturn with him, and consequently the officers would not deliver her up. He went back to Philadelphia, described the Home not flatteringly to one of Mary's brothers, and was adopted, instructing the Committee for Mayor's Court yesterday charged with stealinduced him to come here and try to get her | Courts of Justice to inquire whether or not ing iron from the Richmond and Danville away. He failed also; Mary would tiot the present Register of the Land Office is a railroad. He was sentenced to receive leave with him. On Monday, Demmer constitutional officer. Major S. H. Boykin, for the second time left Trenton who acceptably fills that position, was elected for Richmond, with a letter of intro- to the House of Delegates from Nansemond provide additional compensation for the Register of the Land Office for the disclined to be hot-tempered. Her sister, who charge of the duties of the Superintendent of Public Buildings devolved upon him." That act, after defining the new duties of the Register, provides that " for the additional services herein imposed upon the Register of the Land Office he shall receive an addi-

> long as the foregoing duties are performed High-School within the past two weeks the by him." In November last Governor Kemper appointed Major Boykin Register of the Land Office in place of Captain Kellam, resigned; and thereupon Major Boykin resigned his membership in the House. The Governor ordered a new election in Nansemond, and Mr. Barnes was elected in place of Major Boykin. Upon the meeting of the General Assembly Major Boykin was duly elected by the General Assembly to fill the unexpired term of Captain Kellam.

tional compensation of \$300 per annum so

Mr. Longley maintains that Major Boykin is disqualified by a clause in the 8th section of the 5th article of the State Constitution, which is as follows:

"No senator or delegate, during the term for which he shall have been elected, shall be appointed to any office of profit under the

The matter is to be promptly investigated by the Committee for Courts of Justice, and Major Boykin expresses himself as anxious as anybody for an early decision. Several of the most prominent members of both the Senate and House yesterday declared that they believed there was "nothing in the point," and gave several reasons for the faith in them.

THE PENITENTIARY-PROPOSITION TO LEASE

OUT THE SHOPS OF THE INSTITUTION .- The House Committee on Prisons and Asylums have reported a bill "to amend and recoact sections 1, 22, 23, 24, 36, 37, 38, 39, 41, 43, 44, 45, 46, 50, and 51, and to repeal sections 57, 58, 59, 60, 61, 62, 63, and 64 of chapter 206 of the Code of 1873, with reference to has black hair and eyes and a fair complex-ton, and altogether her face is pleasant to things, provides that "the Board of Directors look upon. Her friends here believe that are hereby authorized to lease or rent out the her portion of her uncle's fortune is worth work-shops of the penitentiary, with the between eighteen and twenty thousand dol- machinery and steam-power, to the best adlife if she can get relieved from Demmer's at- pensable in the manufacture of clothing tentions. By-the-way, she has little to say for the convicts but before leasing or hiring against him, but has a decidedly small opin- the said shops the Board shall advertise the ion of the merits of Mrs. Demmer. It will time and place of such lessing or reuting patterns are not only the most economical and rebe necessary at some time for her to go to for one month in such newspapers in or liable, but most fashionable. Ninth and Franklin Philadelphia to attend to her property, and out of the State as it may designate. Said streets. Catalogues free. the term of fiv years, and may be revoked by the Board of Directors upon a failure to comply with the terms : Provided, further, That the earnings of the convicts thus hired shall be collected trol of her, unless she voluntarily goes or is in money, monthly or quarterly, as the Board of Directors may direct, by the Superindicted for appropriating ten dollers, that intendent, and paid to the Auditor of Public Accounts, accompanied by a statemen from the Board of Directors that the amount thus paid in is for the hire of convicts employed in the penitentiary during the preceding month or quarter. Additional shops a requisition for her upon the Governor of may be established by the contractors in the penitentiary grounds for the convicts so hired; provided that the State shall not incur any expenses thereby, or the property of the State be endangered by fire; and all contracts made under the provision of this sec tion shall be in writing, signed by the lessees and sureties, whose solvency shall b approved by the Board of Directors; and it the said contract it may furthermore be pro vided that the convicts therein hired shall receive from such lessees a reasonable compensation as overstint, which shall be paid to the Superintendent, and by him paid to the convicts in such manner as may be approved James Barrett, and stealing sundry pairs of by the Board of Directors."

THE CLAY STATUE.—In the Senate yester day a resolution was introduced looking to the Capitol Square.

DELINQUENT CITY TAXES .- Collector Regnault has prepared, as required by ordi nance, a list of delinquent tax-payers to be posted at the door of the City Hall on Monday next

LODGE OF GOOD TEMPLARS ORGANIZED .-A lodge of Good Templars, numbering about twenty members, was recently organized at Clay-Street church by the Rev. S. Pearce, G. W. C. D., assisted by Mr. S. A. Watson of London, Eng.

LECTURES BEFORE THE YOUNG MEN'S CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATION .- On Thursday evening Dr. Bagby lectured on "The Virginia Negro-Past and Present." It was a rich treat, and highly enjoyed by a large and cultivated audience. If Dr. Bigby could deliver his lecture in Boston, New York, and Philadelphia, it would, no doubt, do good, and serve to enlighten the people of the North concerning the negroes in slaverydays, his traits, etc. The lecture from beginning to end was rich with amusing illus-

trations. Next Wednesday and Thursday, February 3d and 4th, Dr. A. A. Willits will ap- to effect a permanent cure. pear before the Association; and we can promise all who may hear him a very pleasant evening. Dr. Willits has already de-internal ulceration, and uterine diseases and Genelivered two lectures this season, and his ral Debility, VEGETINE acts directly upon the coming to Richmond again speaks volumes

for him as a lecturer. The accomplished pastor of the Tabb-Street Presbyterian church, Petersburg, (Rev. Dr. T. P. Witherspoon,) will lecture here be followed by Governor Vance, of North ness, and General Prostration of the Nervous Sys about the 16th or 18th of February, and will Carolina-the Wendell Phillips of the South. Professor C. H. Winston, of this city, will also lecture early in March on "Sound." Professor Winston, during the past few weeks, has received several valuable instruments from France, which will be used in his lecture.

Christian Association has thus far been quite interesting and of the highest order, and our | Blood Purifier yet placed before the public. people will no doubt continue their liberal support of the work of such a good cause. UNMAILABLE LETTERS REMAINING IN THE RICHMOND POST-OFFICE JANUARY 29, 1875 .-Mrs. Dr. J. W. Jeter, Ballsville, Powhatan

The lecture-course of the Young Men's

county, Va.; Mr. A. K. McWilliams, Pratts-ville, Va.; Miss Heny Latney, 228 Richmond, Va.; Miss Lucy B. Kean, care J. L. Kean, Louisa Courthouse, Va.; Mr. W. G. Dandridge & Co., Richmond, Va.; Mr. VEGETINE, for I do not think enough can be said Hundley, of Walker & Hundley, Main in its praise, for I was troubled over thirty years street; General P. T. Moore; Edward Holmes, 228 Main street; Miss Sailie W. Loving, at Mrs. Duval's, corner Eighth and Clay streets; Mr. Otto Albright; Schoe-

not our city fathers, or the City Railway Company, put some sort of a raised walkway from the terminus of the railway to the sidewalk near the cemetery? At present it can only be reached through mud ankle-A VICTIM. deep.

PIZZIN I sells only strictly pure sugar-candles.

THE DISPATCH

NO. 26.

MANCHESTER NEWS.

REARRESTED AND SENT TO JAIL .- M 179 Dan-

Clopton, of the Hustings Court, and placed

Routs or Honor .- At the Male High

School, for the week ending January 28, the

following pupils are on the roll of honor

R. H. Winfree, B. E. Bransford, D. B. Win-

free, B. P. Owen, G. E. Chiles, E. E. Mor-

risette, J. C. Jenks, Walter Burgess, Paul

Atkinson, William Hatcher, Lorenzo Lips-

comb, and R. E. Vaden. At the colored

following scholars have been on the roll of

honor: James Peters, John Peters, W.

Shaw, J. V. Edwards, Sarah Walter, J. Black-

well, William Moon, James Trent, and

CHANGE OF DATE .- In consequence of the

13th of February falling on Saturday, the term of the Circuit Court of Chesterfield

Judge Weisiger presiding, will commend

THE GILMORE CONCERT .- It seems rather to

astonish our eastern brethren that the services

the great Gilmore, with his wonderful band and

his prima donna and operatic corps, should have

been secured for the last Gift Concert of the Pub

lic Library. But it is nevertheless true ; Mr. Brigg

does nothing by halves. He has promised that the

ast concert shall be the greatest, and he will keep

his word. The 27th of February will be the mos

memorable day ever seen in Louisville-millions

dollars will be given away, and the recipien

will be greeted with glorious melodics and rapin

rons songs such as never before echoed in any west-

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JONES, Dentist; R. N. HUDSON, Dentist; W.

LEIGH BURTON, Dentist; J. HALL MOOBE, M.D.,

Dentist; JOHN MAHONEY, Deatist; GRORGE B.

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1400 Main street, Richmond, Va.

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on Monday the 15th proximo.

Sarah Dixon.

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69 Washington street, Boston.

suffered so intensely. C. H. TUCKER, Passenger Agent Michigan C. R. R.

J. THOMPSON BROWN, 10 A. M., at No. 521 niture, chromos, baby-carriage, &c.

Franklin street, oil-cloth, carpets, matting, &c . COOK & LAUGHTON, 10 S. M., at horse-lot, horses, males, &c. " : hat

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WANTED, BOARDERS FOR SEVE-

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causes of these complaints. It invigorates and strengthens the whole system, acts upon the secretive organs, allays inflammation, cures ulceration, and regulates the bowels.

For Catarrh, Dyspepsia, Habitual Costiveness Palpitation of the Heart, Headache, Piles, Nervoustem, no medicine has ever given such perfect satisfaction as the VEGETINE. It purifies the blood, cleanses all of the organs, and possesses a controlling power over the nervous system. The remarkable cures effected by VEGETINE have

induced many physicians and apothecaries whom we know to prescribe and use it in their own fami-In fact, VEGETINE is the best remedy yet discovered for the above diseases, and is the only reliable

> PREPARED BY H. R. STEVENS, Boston, Mass.

Mr. H. R. Stevens: Dear Sir,-I will most cheerfully add my testimony to the great number you have already received in favor of your great and good med with that dreadful disease, Catarrh, and had such

bad coughing spells that it would seem as though I could never breathe any more, and VEGETINE has cured me; and I do feel to thank God all the time there is so good a medicine as VEGETINE; and I also think it one of the best medicines for coughs and weak sinking feelings at the stomach, and ad-Messrs. Editors, -For the benefit of the vise everybody to take the VEGETINE, for I can asmany ladies visiting Hollywood daily, will sure them it is one of the best medicines that ever corner Magazine and Walnut streets,

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bute it all to the use of VEGETINE. To benefit bailed for their appearance, have been re-arrested by City Sergeant Fitzgerald on a bench warrant issued by order of Judge those afflicted with rheumatism, I will make mention also of the VEGETINE'S wonderful power of curing me of this scute complaint, of which I have

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LOAN OFFICE BARGAINS.
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RINGS, 67 sets FLEEVE and BOSOM BUTTONS, 6
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GOLD BAND BRACELETS, and many other articles,
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